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S Knappman, of the Knappman Plumbing Works, Lethbridge, was in town on Sunday last.

The Pass For Labor Day

Roads will lead east and west from Blairmore on Monday next, and we can only expect that our town will be deserted when we hear comment on the programme to be staged at Bellevue and Coleman on that day.

Bellevue promises a day of exceptionally big doings. A sports programme, consisting of races, jumps, football, etc., will start in the forenoon at 10 o'clock, for which attractive prizes are offered. From 12 noon to 4 p.m. the second grand exhibition of flowers, vegetables and fancy work will be staged. The judge for the occasion will be Mr. Oxley, of Calgary, probably one of the most competent in Western Canada today, who last year kindly acted in a similar capacity and complimented the people of Bellevue and district on their industry and enterprise, and the splendid exhibition on that occasion. This year's showing promises to even surpass last year's and those who missed the opportunity of seeing the display last year will do well to put in an appearance this year.

The exhibition this year is in the hands of a most capable committee, comprising Richard Eccleston, chairman; J. Higgins, R. Kerr, E. Bradley, J. Lindsay, George Copland and H. Campbell.

Over four hundred dollars will be awarded in prizes. The football match takes place in the evening between Bellevue and Blairmore. Children's events in the forenoon and minor events in the afternoon. A grand dance will be held in the evening.

At Coleman a grand street parade with floats, cars and pedestrians will open the day's proceedings at 9:30 a.m. Prizes will be awarded for the following events: Best Class Turnout, Best Decorated Store, Best Decorated Automobile, Best Float, Baking Contest, Fat Men's Race, Wheelbarrow Race, Married Ladies' Race, Single Ladies' Race, Potato Race, Bicycle Race, Obstacle Race, Veterans' Race, 223-Yard Dash, 100-Yard Dash, and last but not least the greasy pig to the successful catcher. There will also be Golf and Tennis Tournaments and a Baseball Game between Michel and Blairmore teams.

Tags to constitute an admission ticket will be sold at the gate. A sack of flour will be awarded the largest single family on the grounds.

A grand ball will be held in the opera house at night.

Fall From Horse Results in Fatality

While riding a young, unbroken horse at Heath Creek, Mr. Fred Bird Michel was instantly killed on Friday evening last.

The man's body was found lying on a small stone. Nearby horse hair was found tangled in the barbed fence, and there was every evidence that the horse had got away from the driver, that he was thrown off and not instantaneous death by his head coming into contact with the stone, from which it had never risen, and that the horse had collided with the wire fence immediately afterwards. Michel's skull was fractured. The body was found about 9 p.m. and the authorities were immediately notified.

Dr. Donald was called in from Cowley that night and Coroner Pinky was summoned from Blairmore and visited the scene on Saturday, deciding that no inquest was necessary.

Michel was twenty-three years of age and single. He came to this country from the States about six years ago and lately took up ranching in the Heath Creek district.

Interment took place in the Livingstone cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Oddfellows Visit Bellevue

About twenty-five members of the local Oddfellows' lodge journeyed to Bellevue on Monday night to attend the regular meeting of the Bellevue lodge, where four candidates—three from Blairmore and one from Bellevue—were made acquainted with the mysteries of the First Degree. Following the meeting refreshments were served in 'way down East' style. The Bellevue members decided to return the visit and came to Blairmore about thirty strong the following night, where the Second and Third Degrees were conferred on the four candidates and an enjoyable after-program was held.

W. H. Chappell, Jr., attended The Stampede at Calgary the early part of the week.

Magistrate Imparts Wholesome Lesson

Fred Sork, of Bellevue, appeared in the municipal court at Blairmore on Monday, charged with using profane or insulting language in the presence of some young ladies on Friday last. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs—in all \$53.75. He paid the fine. Mayor Ewan presided at the court. The same party was taken to Coleman by Sergt. Caswell, and was there charged before Justice Dineley with using indecent language and intimidation. In this connection, the accused was found guilty and fined \$1000 and costs, and was bound over to keep the peace.

Unfortunate

Our temperance meeting did not prove The big success it oughter. The chairman tried to blow the froth From off a glass of water!

Local and General

Miss M. L. Walsh returned last week end from a pleasant vacation spent in Portland and Seattle.

Mrs. C. Chestnut, of Vancouver, is spending a couple of weeks with her husband and friends in Blairmore.

A special meeting of Blairmore I. O. O. F. lodge was held on Friday night last for the purpose of conferring degrees.

Miss Kennedy, who has accepted a position on the Blairmore public school teaching staff, arrived here on Monday morning last.

The annual meeting of the Macleod District of the Methodist church is being held at Macleod today.

Miss Grace Robbins has passed successfully in her Grade XI examination and leaves for Calgary on Saturday to enter the Normal school.

Tourists are praising the good work being accomplished by road repair gangs throughout The Pass this season. The road from Lundbreck west to Bellevue has been very much improved, as has also the roads west of the interprovincial divide.

Summer Dress Goods

WHILE we realize that the high prices continue, with no apparent prospect of improving, there is, nevertheless, an advantage in knowing that you can select representative values from our range of goods, well bought some time ago and particularly adapted to present needs, such as Summer Dress Goods, VOILES, CREPES, SILKS and SATINS, RINTS and GINGHAMS for Children.

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Owing to the recent fire we find it impossible to secure a suitable location in Blairmore in order to give our esteemed customers the best service. However, we will be pleased to supply all our customers from our Bellevue branch, making one delivery daily until we have rebuilt, when our experienced staff will be pleased to serve you with the best brands of meats and products, etc. Phone your orders to 1202.

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Canada's Present Task

With the Peace Treaty formally approved by the parliaments of Great Britain and Germany, and in process of ratification in other countries, with Canada's parliament about to meet to signify its approval of the Treaty and with the Canadian army officially declared demobilized, the people of this Dominion are called upon to set themselves sternly to the task of fully restoring their country to a peace basis. In doing so they are confronted with many problems and burdens which are left to them as a legacy of the Great War, and these problems must be faced and solved and these burdens carried under entirely new social and industrial conditions which have been born in the minds and spirits of men during the period of the great upheaval through which we have passed.

Great as were the problems connected with the vigorous and successful prosecution of the war, they pale into insignificance when contrasted with the multitude of problems which peace, under these new world conditions, force upon us. The love, patriotism and spirit of self-sacrifice which animated the people of Canada during the war must continue with them in these even more difficult days of peace if Canada is not now to lose all that she so valiantly defended on the outskirts of Europe.

It was comparatively easy to save for Canada, sacrifice for Canada, serve Canada in the dark days of war; it is going to be infinitely harder to do so now that the incentive to victory is removed. But it is just as vitally necessary to our national welfare and future now as then, even more necessary.

With a national debt of \$2,000,000,000 upon which to pay interest and gradually liquidate, with millions required annually for pensions, and other great national obligations to carry, all the expenses of the public services to be met, and provision made for great national undertakings required in the development for use of our natural resources, the eight million people of Canada have a task to perform which calls for the best in every man and woman, and each man and each woman must do his and her share if Canada is to succeed and prosper.

In a few weeks the people of Canada will be asked to subscribe to another large domestic loan, a loan which is necessary to pay off the remainder of the Dominion's war bills, and to enable the national government to carry on the business of the country in these still unsettled times. It will probably be the last of these war loans, because Canada cannot go on borrowing indefinitely. The time is fast approaching when, not by way of loans to the Government, but in the payment of taxes the people of Canada will have to meet all national expenses, as well as provide a certain amount annually wherewith to reduce the national debt.

Canadians must not that necessity, and it is well that they should begin to prepare for it now. Canada as a nation can only meet its obligations to its own people, and to the world by becoming a nation of producers in a larger way than ever before attempted. The natural resources of this country, vast and rich as they are known to be, but as yet largely undeveloped, must be developed for use. By their development alone can the necessary wealth be produced which will enable Canada to "carry on" successfully and prosper.

Incumbent, therefore, on all Canadians to set themselves seriously to the task of ascertaining where and how they can best employ their abilities and energies in the work of production. On the farm, in the mine and forest, in the fisheries and in the factory, Canadians must develop industry and energy. Taxes they must pay, heavier than in the past, and unless they produce something which will add to their own and the nation's wealth they will be in no position to pay. Canadian boys paid for Canada's independence and well-being with their life's blood during the past five years; all other Canadians must pay for Canada's honor, well-being and future prosperity and greatness by the full use of brain and brawn in the years of peace we are now to enjoy.

As the Montreal Star said in a recent editorial on "The Need of Canada," Canadians must go forward with a better, a larger outlook. "Surely," says the Star, "with the immense legacy of debt that the war has bequeathed to us we would be wise to put away childish things, forget old quarrels which belong to the political nursery and face with courage and dignity the things that make for our peace, our strength and our security. There is no solution in the creed of destruction and no hope for men or nations save in industry, sanity, confidence and co-operation. Canada needs People, Production and Development. If we would concentrate upon these vital problems a multitude of lesser problems would settle themselves and we would begin to prove ourselves worthy of the great inheritance we possess. There was resource and dignity in Canada when we achieved Confederation. So, too, when we set all our energies to the Great War. A world in anguish and travail reveals too clearly that likemindedness, courage and devotion to vital things are needed to build a civilization that we thought was saved on the red fields of Europe. Let us not relapse into a state of tribal warfare and spend ourselves in the paltry partisan quarrels and ignoble controversies which fill too many pages of the political history of Canada. I had faintly noted I had believed to see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living."

No surgical operation is necessary in removing corns if Holloway's Corn Cure be used.

Turks Make Protest
Constantinople.—The American commission charged with an investigation in Turkey regarding possible mandates has concluded its work so far as the Armenian question is concerned. Turks who were heard by the commission in connection with the Armenian commission protested both orally and in writing against the creation of an independent Armenia state.

The commission, it was said, will go now to Smyrna and Adrianople and will conclude its work in about two weeks.

Kerenky Said to Be in Berlin
Berlin, Germany.—The Deutsche Tageszeitung publishes a report from Russian sources in Berlin to the effect that Alexander Kerenky is at present in the German capital, whence he is agitating violently against Admiral Kolchak and General Denikin.

We can't blame a man who leads a dog's life if he grows.

SUMMER COMPLAINT IS A SERIOUS BOWEL TROUBLE

Very few people escape an attack of Summer Complaint. It may be slight, or it may be severe, but nearly every one is liable to it.

Allow the profuse diarrhoea, the vomiting and purging to continue for a day or two and you will become weak and prostrated.

Just as soon as the bowels become loosened up get a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and check these unusual movements, and thus prevent the system from becoming weakened.

Mrs. L. J. Alteen, wife of the well known wholesale and retail Fruit Dealer, 44 Hill St., Amherst, N.S., writes:—"I have four children, the oldest being eight years old. Last summer they were troubled with Summer Complaint. Doctors' prescriptions did not seem to help them any. One day a friend asked me to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I once got a bottle, and to my surprise and wonder, soon saw a change in them. I now keep a bottle of it in the house all the time, and will recommend it to any mother."

"Dr. Fowler's" is 35c. a bottle. Get the original which has been put out for the past 74 years by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The man who sits down and waits to be appreciated will find himself amongst the uncalled-for baggage after the limited express has gone by.

A few months ago it was necessary to limit the use of gasoline because some people were using more than their auto.

GUARD BABY'S HEALTH IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to children. The commonest of that season, which are cholera infantum, colic, diarrhoea and dysentery, come on so quickly that often a little one is beyond aid before the mother realizes he is ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to cure them. The most reliable method of saving babies during hot weather is by Mothers Own Tablets. They regulate the stomach and bowels and are absolutely safe. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not be looking about for an exhorter to patch himself up with.

Nature is said to be infallible, yet she gave the rooster a comb but no hair.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

To Cut Out Profiters
St. Catharines, Ont.—Arrangements between the growers, the wine makers and the dealers, with a view to eliminating, if possible, the profiteer, is the aim of Niagara District Grape Growers' Association, which has been formed.

James Livingstone, of Grimsby, in speaking of this aim of the association, referred to prices of last year, when grapes sold here for 30 cents a basket, were retailed in Calgary for 90 cents, three times as much as the growers received.

A DIVORCE GRANTED

After many years of patient suffering you can be divorced from corns by applying Putnam's Corn Extract, which acts in 24 hours without pain. Refuse a substitute because "Putnam's" is the remedy that is safe and painless, 25c. per bottle at all dealers.

Money For Everybody

New Labor Programme Has Unique Scheme
London.—The latest thing in the labor programme of social reform is provision for a minimum income for every man, woman and child.

Under the scheme, which is favored by Arthur Henderson, secretary of the Labor party, and G. A. H. Cole, attached to the research department, twenty per cent. of all incomes would be nationalized at the source and paid in a pool which would be devoted solely to the provision of a permanent weekly income of \$2.25 a week to everybody. In this way, the sponsors of the plan say, it is hoped not merely to free the country from the future payment of old age pensions, but of old age if not of the national and private agencies for the distribution of relief.

Many a man who is going to set the world on fire finds that someone has suddenly turned the hose on him.

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United States Sends Warning To Mexico

The Murdering of American Citizens Must Be Stopped

Washington.—The state department's announcement that President Wilson has been informed by the United States government that the Mexican government took immediate steps to put an end to the murder of American citizens in Mexico, this government would be compelled to "adopt a radical change in its policy," in regard to that country, occasioned on end of speculation in military and naval circles.

As was the case the other day, there was no official statement forthcoming to indicate the nature of the radical change foreboded. The United States government is in a position to act immediately when the President gives the word. Massed along the border within 24 hours' rail journey of the border basin at San Antonio, El Paso and Columbus, are eleven regiments of cavalry, seven of infantry, six of field artillery, seven of engineers, one machine-gun battalion, fifteen airplane squadrons, nine balloon companies, one battalion of signalers, seventeen tank trains, and sixteen motor transport companies, in addition to the needed quota of special and technical troops.

The Carranza government will not be permitted to import further arms and munitions from the United States, for the present at least.

This became known following the publication of the exchange of notes between the United States and Mexico, in which the American government threatened a change of policy unless Americans in Mexico were adequately protected.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Be Ready

Advice Sir Douglas Haig Urges on the Country

Speaking as a man "who has seen enough of war," Sir Douglas Haig adapted to our present-day needs the words when Lord Roberts and the Daily Mail so repeatedly addressed to deaf ears while the Hun was planning his attack. We all desire peace, but we cannot, even in the hour of complete victory, disregard the injunction uttered by one of our greatest military leaders, that "only by adequate preparation for war can peace in every way be guaranteed." A strong citizen army on strong territorial lines is the advice Sir Douglas Haig urges on the country when Lord Roberts and the Daily Mail so repeatedly addressed to deaf ears while the Hun was planning his attack. We all desire peace, but we cannot, even in the hour of complete victory, disregard the injunction uttered by one of our greatest military leaders, that "only by adequate preparation for war can peace in every way be guaranteed." 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Henry Ford was awarded six cents damages in his libel action against the Chicago Tribune for terming him an ignorant idealist and an anarchist. The accusation is rather strong in view of what he has done in the development of the automobile industry.

Miss McKenzie, who had charge of a primary department in the Coleman school last year up to the time that the staff went on strike in sympathy with the Bolsheviks, has accepted a position as primary teacher at Okotoks.

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Ignoring of Forest Reserve Law is Costly

Two cases of considerable interest to stockmen, having to do with the administration of grazing privileges in the Dominion forest reserves, were tried this week before Inspector R. E. Tucker, J. P., at the H. W. M. P. barracks, Machod, in which John S. Nelson, of Mos Lake Creek, was charged with the violation of sections 2 and 43 of the regulations for Dominion forest reserves.

These regulations have the force of statute by reason of the provisions of the Dominion Forest Reserves and Parks Act. Section 2 prohibits, amongst other things, the allowing of stock to enter on or be driven through Dominion forest reserves without a permit. Mr. Nelson was charged with having allowed his stock to enter upon the Porcupine Hills district of the Crown's Nest forest reserve, particularly on Beaver Creek and Hault Creek, between the months of September 1918, and May, 1919.

Mr. Nelson, who was not represented by counsel, pleaded "not guilty," but the evidence of two of the officials of the forestry branch, Ranger H. B. Smith and Grazing Inspector E. Barnes as well as the evidence of two independent stockmen in that district, Thomas Webber and W. H. Dunbar, proved conclusively that the accused's cattle had been allowed to run in large numbers over the part of the reserve continuously during the period mentioned.

R. M. Brown, the forest supervisor at Pincher Creek, proved that notice had been sent to Mr. Nelson warning him that his cattle were trespassing and calling upon him to have same removed, but without result.

THE DEFENCE

The accused, on cross-examining the prosecution's witnesses, seemed to rely on two points: First, that no one was seen to drive these cattle into the reserve or to be herding them within the reserve, and, second, that there was no fence or barrier erected by the government to prevent his cattle or any other cattle from entering upon the reserve or from passing from certain small areas, which Nelson holds under grazing lease within the boundary of the reserve, onto the other parts of the reserve.

It was brought out in the evidence of E. H. Finlayson, the inspector of forest reserves for Alberta, that there is nothing in the Dominion Forest Reserve Act or in the regulations thereunder requiring the government to erect any such barrier or fence.

Mr. Nelson gave evidence on his own behalf, stating that if his cattle grazed on the reserve they got there through drifting before storms and without any positive act on his part, although he admitted that he had found his cattle on the reserve and on occasions had driven them off.

CHARGES SUSTAINED

After hearing all the evidence, Inspector Tucker held that if his cattle grazed on the reserve they got there through drifting before storms and without any positive act on his part, although he admitted that he had found his cattle on the reserve and on occasions had driven them off.

COSTS ARE HEAVY

In view of the very heavy costs which followed the conviction, the justice placed the fine at a smaller figure than he otherwise would, namely, \$20. The fine and costs on this charge totalled \$30.55.

ENDURED CARCASSES

Following his conviction under Section 2, Mr. Nelson was then charged with violation of Section 43, which provides that any carcasses of animals on the reserve which are in the vicinity of any supply or body of water, must be removed or buried by the owner in accordance with the instructions of the forest officer. Messrs. Smith and Askey, witnesses on behalf of the forestry branch, testified that on July 19 he was in a very short distance along the waters of Beaver Creek within the forest reserve, they had counted six carcasses of animals which they positively identified as having belonged to the accused, one being actually in the water of the stream and all within 100 feet of the stream.

He's Dead—That's All

(By the Office Post.)

It's pretty hard that when you know you've lived an honest life, and tried to live with fortitude the struggle, and the strife, no matter what your station here, of either great or small, when you come away they'll simply say, "He's dead"—that's all.

And when in church a hypocrite gets up and loudly sings "I want to be an angel and spend a pair of wings" you know he's bound the other way and wonder at his gall, "would hurt you not a bit to say, 'He's dead'—that's all."

It's oft been heard the good die young—alas, 'tis sadly so, while there are others who could spare, if they would only say, instead they hang on day by day and will not heed the call, while all the world awaits to say, "He's dead"—that's all.

And when the time has come that I must leave this mortal sphere, I'd like to think I'd made a friend or two while I was here, "would hurt me grievously to know when I'm beneath the sod, that some dang fool would say of me, 'He's dead'—that's all."

Duck shooting commences on September 1st, and chicken shooting, October 1st. Don't forget that licenses are necessary.

A resident of Stuart Street appeared before the local police court on Tuesday and paid a fine of \$5.00, and costs for keeping pigs within the town limits.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. McKay, and Mrs. M. McKay have returned from Vancouver and will take up residence in Blairmore—Lethbridge Canadian Advocate.

In Newfoundland wild berries are protected, and persons caught in the act of picking or destroying them out of season are subject to a heavy penalty.

J. A. Palmer, representing the Appleford Counter Check Book Co. of Hamilton, Ontario, was in the Pass the early part of the week, conferring with the local agency.

Nastari Brothers have closed their bakery business at Passburg, and have this week moved to Blairmore where they have gone into partnership with a local baker, and have secured the Green building which is being fitted up as a bakery.

At a recent meeting of local miners the men decided to affiliate with the U. M. W. of A. and formed their local accordingly with William Paterson as president, Marshall Hamilton as vice-president, and Enoch Williams as secretary.

A few days later Forest Supervisor R. M. Brown, of Pincher Creek, notified Nelson that he must remove or bury these carcasses within ten days. On July 11 witnesses Askey went over the same ground and found the same carcasses lying in exactly the same positions in spite of the notice given as above. The accused, testifying on his own behalf, admitted receiving the notice, but claimed that he complied therewith within the time specified, and had actually removed ten carcasses which he found along the waters of Beaver Creek, to a distance sufficient in his opinion to avoid any contamination of the water.

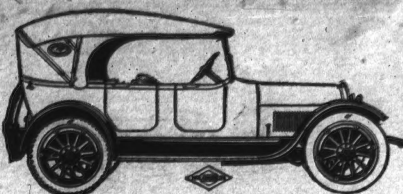
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The court accepted Mr. Nelson's evidence that he had removed certain carcasses, but at the same time was obliged to hold that there were other carcasses still left in a position which easily endangered human life, as testified by the witnesses for the crown, and spoke very severely of the lack of care on the part of the accused in allowing such a state of affairs to exist. Owing to the doubt in his mind as to whether the carcasses not removed by Nelson were sufficiently identified in the notice sent, Inspector Tucker refrained from imposing the maximum penalty of \$100, as he stated he would otherwise have done. On this charge the accused was convicted and fined \$15 and costs, totalling \$31.15.

Charles F. Adams, K. T., of Calgary, appeared on behalf of the forestry branch of the department of the interior.

INTERESTING CASE

This case is of immense interest to ranchers in view of the fact that there seems to have been somewhat widespread opinion on that the Dominion government, in order to protect itself, is really called up on to fence its grazing lands. The evidence in this case made it clear that the Forest Reserve Act and regulations established thereunder, do not require such action. It is understood that there are other cases which may be taken up on a view of enforcing the regulations. The department considers that the main necessity for such prosecutions is to protect persons securing grazing permits in the regular way in the privileges for which they apply and pay.



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Control Sugar Prices In United States

Washington.—Active control of sugar prices was resumed by the government through an agreement reached between the department of justice and the food administration, that licensees will be revoked by the latter when it is shown dealers have been profiteering. Sugar should reach the consumer at approximately 11 cents a pound, it was announced, based on the ownership of the entire domestic and Cuban crop by the United States sugar equalization board, which is selling to refiners at 7.28 cents a pound.

Refiners are under contract with the board to sell at nine cents, less two per cent. discount for cash; wholesalers and jobbers are allowed a maximum of 68 cents a hundred pounds for handling, and retailers are permitted a profit of one to one and one-half cents a pound, making a fair price of 11 cents except in cases where dealers have purchased at an "unreasonable" price due to misunderstanding in the trade. When this is a fact, a reasonable advance over the actual cost will be permitted.

With the house agriculture committee's amendment for extension of the powers of the Food Control Act before it, the house was prepared to take action on the amendment, and thereby make its first extensive step toward beating down living costs. The amendment, which was reported to the house by an unanimous vote, includes retailers among those liable under the Food Control Act and its enactment, along with the control exercised over sugar, officials believe, will do much to curtail profiteering by retailers.

Divorces in Manitoba

Winnipeg.—An announcement made at the law courts states that there are over eleven hundred divorce applications filed for hearing when the court of King's Bench opens for the fall sittings, September 15.

Six judges will be occupied hearing the cases. In the majority of cases the divorce applications are being made by soldiers who have returned to find their wives have been unfaithful. The cost of obtaining a divorce is from \$200 up, according to lawyers.

Ask Intercession for Absentees

Quebec.—At a meeting of the national traders and labor council it was decided to ask His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to intercede to obtain a general amnesty for absentees under the Military Service Act.

Harvesters Create Disturbances

Pillage Town, Fire Depot and Stone Passenger Trains en Route
Riviere du Loup, Que.—A trainload of young men, numbering between 800 and 900, belonging to different parts of the district, and who were leaving for the West to work on the farms during the harvest, created a serious disturbance on the train, also robbing and pillaging in this town, one shop being relieved of \$300. At St. Andre de Kamouraska they set fire to the station, which was got under control before serious damage occurred. Other offences were committed at other places along the road, among them being the stoning of passenger trains. Detectives were finally placed aboard and the train proceeded to its destination, no arrests being made.

"Away With Erzerberg"

Berlin.—Under the slogan "Away with Erzerberg," the National Liberals staged a noisy meeting of protest, in which the speakers subjected the Minister of Finance to a vicious verbal grilling. Erzerberg's activities from the time he conducted the armistice negotiations down to the present enactment of radical measures of attacks from the floor, "Traitor," "Scoundrel," "Camouflaged Corporations," and similar epithets were heard. Some of the speakers denounced that Erzerberg be strung up on the nearest lamp post.

At the meeting a resolution was adopted demanding Erzerberg's retirement.

Helldorf May Be Prosecuted

Berlin.—The Ministry of Justice has received instructions to examine the evidence obtained against the former vice-chancellor, Dr. Karl Helldorf, with a view to prosecuting him.

Italian Troops Enter Hungary

Paris.—Italian troops are on their way into Hungary according to reports received here. No details of the movement were given.

Strike in Miramichi Mills

Newcastle, N.B.—Practically every mill on the Miramichi has been tied up by a strike among the workers. Men employed loading the steamers have struck for a nine-hour day and 65 cents per hour.

Increased Wages For Telegraph Operators

Reduction in Working Time and an Advance of \$10 and \$12 Are Granted By Board

Montreal.—Substantial increases in wages are accorded the operators of the C.P.R. telegraphs by an award handed down by the Canadian railway war board, adjustment number one. An increase of \$10 a month is given to Morse operators, "all outside points," and \$12 a month to the percentage groups of the percentage offices. Included in the latter are Montreal, Ottawa, Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Calgary and Vancouver.

The wages in these three percentage groups will now be \$133.25, \$129.60 and \$122, with a minimum over the entire system of \$100 a month, with the exception of city branch offices (send only) where the minimum will be \$75 a month, and also at one or two specified points. An eight-hour day will be worked in all outside large centre offices, a reduction of one hour. The increase is to date back to June 1, and in future the clerks are to be included in the wage schedule.

In the present arrangement, however, the amount of wages of the clerks was not decided, but will be dealt with on September 16.

Austrians And Their Treaty

Are Wanting to Take It Back to Vienna

Paris.—The Austrian delegation told the supreme council that it would be necessary for them to take the complete text of the treaty to Vienna and to submit it to the assembly for approval before he delegates can sign it.

This suggestion brought expressions of surprise from members of the council, as it had been thought the Austrian delegation had full powers. The council is urging the Austrians to make some arrangements to sign the treaty without taking it to Vienna.

The signing of the treaty, as a result of this unexpected development, it was said, may be postponed until well into September.

Citizens Would Prosecute Prince

Berlin.—At a meeting of the citizens of Teltow, a suburb of Berlin, there was a discussion of the conduct of Prince Frederick Leopold, cousin of former Emperor William, who, unlike Count Hohenlohn, remained there instead of leaving the country. It was alleged that he had engaged in illicit trading on a large scale and had hoarded large quantities of food. Local authorities recently searched his castle, confiscating great supplies of food, which were distributed among hospitals, but when they attempted to bring action against the prince they were told from authoritative quarters that he was immune, being a member of the royal family.

Serious Fires in Northern Idaho

Missoula, Mont.—The general fire situation in forestry district number one, Montana and Northern Idaho, has never in the history of the west been so serious as it is today, according to forestry officials. New fires are breaking out, old blazes are entirely out of control, and it is reported incendiaries in the woods not only have set fires in isolated spots, but have in several instances severed connections between the fire fighting crews and the outside world, with serious results.

Commr. C. Sowton to Go to Sweden
Toronto.—Commissioner Charles Sowton, of the Salvation Army, who has been in charge of the Western Canada territory with headquarters at Winnipeg, has been selected by General Bramwell Booth to take charge of Salvation Army work in Sweden, according to an announcement made here by Col. John McMillan, chief secretary for the Toronto district.

Supply the Home Market First

Sydney, N.S.—Instructions have been issued to the refiners by the Canadian trade commission that all local demands for sugar must be looked after before this article is exported. Such was the gist of a telegram received by F. C. Kimber, secretary of the Sydney board of trade, in reply to a wire sent to the government.

Consumers to Fight Profiteers

Paris.—Citizens and housewives of the Montmartre district have formed the "consumers' league of France" to combat the high cost of foodstuffs. It is the intention of the founders to enlarge the league into the national buyers' federation, with members throughout the country.

Why Britain Sets Low Wheat Price

Winnipeg.—In an interview on the price of \$1.80 set by Great Britain for Canadian wheat, W. Sanford Evans, who represented the millers at recent conferences at Ottawa, said: "The situation is quite simple. This price of \$1.80, mentioned in the cable, has, unquestionably, to my mind, nothing to do with the price at which the British Government will buy wheat, but the price at which it will resell, in conformity with its policy to ensure the ninetynine loaf."

"Great Britain absorbs the difference between the purchase price and the price necessary to allow for the turning out of the four-pound loaf for ninetynine. Canadian wheat, grading No. 1 northern, cannot be made into bread for ninetynine a loaf. Last year it cost Great Britain \$235,800,000, the difference between the price it had paid for wheat and the price at which it had to be sold to allow for the ninetynine loaf. It had to charge prices for wheat which were less than the purchase price."

"This \$1.80-mentioned in the cable is the resale price." The cable, in my judgment, has nothing to do with the purchase price. The British government will purchase at whatever price it can get the wheat, and then sell it at a resale price of \$1.80 in England."

"It has been doing it before. It has in the past spread the difference over wheat and flour. Now the cut is all placed on the wheat. The government decided to subsidize the loaf and placed it all on the wheat, which will represent the ninetynine loaf."

U. S. Government Brings Down Prices

Washington.—Attorney-General Palmer said there was evidence that the government campaign to reduce the cost of living already was bearing fruit. A prominent vegetable packer of Maryland wrote Mr. Palmer that prices in many lines were beginning to ease off, as it became evident the department of justice meant business in announcing that criminal prosecutions against hoarders and profiteers would be instituted where the laws were violated.

The attorney-general and Judge Ames, his assistant, drew distinctions which they said the public should recognize between hoarded food and stored food. The former is held out of the market in greater quantities than required for the general business for the purpose of forcing up the market.

"The latter is surplus, being husbanded from the harvest to the lean season." Reports to the attorney-general from state food administrators indicated that fair price boards rapidly were being set up in many states and were proceeding to get pledges from dealers to abide by the prices promulgated for the guidance of the public.

The department of justice announced that eleven cases had been brought under the Food Control act for seizure of food in Columbus, Ga., St. Louis, Detroit, Chattanooga and Kansas City.

Greeks Ask for Protection

London.—Saloniki representatives of 35,000 Greeks in the Ardshkan district of the Caucasus have telegraphed the peace conference requesting protection against Turkish soldier brigades, who, with Erzerum as a base, are holding massacres of the Greeks there, accompanied by much pillage.

Miners Talk of Five-Day Week

Sydney, N.S.—The five-day week, a demand for a 25 per cent. increase in wages and other matters of prime importance to the coalfields, the miners and the province in general will be taken up at the big mining convention which is to meet in Sydney this week.

To Protect Britain From Profiteers

Fixed Price Of Wheat

If World Market Price Realized—More, Producer to Get the Benefit

Ottawa.—Telegrams and communications received by the government, as well as comments made by brokers and others interested in the wheat trade, indicate that the government's action in fixing an initial price for wheat to be paid to the farmers by the wheat control board is still misunderstood in many quarters. It is assumed by many apparently that the initial price of \$2.15 announced by the government is a fixed price and that no matter what the price of wheat may be the farmers will not receive more than that figure. On behalf of the government it was pointed out to a representative of the Canadian Press, Limited, in the case of the Canadian farmer, he gets what the market of the world will give him. If the price of wheat should go to \$2.30, \$2.40 or \$2.50, the farmer will get the benefit. On the other hand, in the United States where a price has been definitely fixed, the farmer will simply get the fixed price.

The object of the government, it was further explained, was not to limit to any price or estimate the price that the farmer should obtain, but rather to make sure that he should receive the highest possible rate of payment upon the crop. The government through the Canadian wheat board undertakes to sell the surplus crop, not at a fixed price, but at the best world price available, and to turn back to the farmer free of all speculative and profiteering charges the balance of the price received for his grain over and above the initial payment of \$2.15.

It was further pointed out that the United States price was fixed before he war was over, on the assumption that the world conflict would continue. Had that not been done it is not regarded as probable that the United States would have made a fixed price, but as it is, the United States farmer gets the fixed price and no more.

Why Shoes Are High

Boston, Mass.—Enquiry into the high cost of shoes by the Suffolk county grand jury developed that some shoe workers have been earning \$120 a week. These instances were said to be few but were testified that many made \$60 a week, while the average was about \$40. Unskilled help, formerly paid at \$12 to \$15 a week, have profited most, last boys getting as much as \$30 a week. It was said that a pair of shoes sold by a manufacturer for \$5.50 was displayed in a store four hundred yards from the factory marked at \$12.

Inheritance Tax Bill Passed

Weimar, Germany.—The assembly has passed the inheritance tax bill. The members of the Right voted against the bill. They particularly opposed the paragraph inserted in committee, under which the tax on fortunes exceeding 150,000 marks is greatly increased and in some cases doubled.

Karl Muck Departs

New York.—Dr. Karl Muck, former leader of the Boston Symphony orchestra, who was ordered interned as an enemy alien April 5, 1918, and confined at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., during the war, has boarded the steamship Erderick VIII, for Copenhagen.

A rubber factory is to be established at Collingwood, a suburb of Vancouver.

London.—Premier Lloyd George has written to the press to the effect that the discussion of certain highly controversial points in his recent speech in the House of Commons has obscured other parts which are of vital concern to the country and deserve full discussion before parliament is asked to legislate thereon.

He accordingly furnishes a summary of the government's program as set forth in his speech, addressing several proposals, to which he says he did not have time to refer in his speech. One proposal is to establish a department of standards to promote and assist standardization in technical trade matters, which he regards as increasingly important to British industry.

Another point is his intention to introduce legislation to secure adequate measures permanently to protect the public from the harmful effects of trusts and combinations, should such protection become advisable. His mention of this subject in his speech referred to only a period of six months under the Profiteering Act.

Employment For Returned Men

There Should Be No Such Thing as the Soldier Problem

Ottawa.—The returned soldier problem, said Gen. Currie, during an address, had been brought to his notice since his return. He thought there was no such problem and urged the business men of Canada to give the men a chance on their return.

He thought that instead of the returned soldiers creating any problem that was being done by the men who stayed at home getting four or five times as much money as soldiers, and then became afraid their big money might fall off during the reconstruction period.

"Before the war," he said, Canada was able to absorb 500,000 immigrants yearly; surely we can absorb 500,000 returned men who are your own brothers. Before the war they were an asset to Canada, surely they are an asset on their return. Not a returned soldier should go unemployed."

Railways and Daylight Saving

Ottawa.—The action of the United States congress in killing daylight saving over the President's veto is taken here to mean the simultaneous death of the system in Canada. Wherever the United States sets back the clocks, the Canadian railways will have to do likewise. The same argument that was used by them in adopting daylight saving last spring will apply to reverting to the old system, at the same time as the Americans do it.

Bolshevik Cut Off From Base

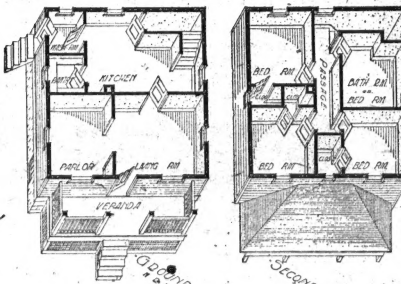
London.—Military authorities here point out that the occupation by General Denikin of the town of Cherkassk, on the Dnieper river, below Kiev, cuts the last remaining line of communication of the Bolsheviks with Odessa.

The evacuation of Cherkassk has not yet been confirmed, but it is regarded here as probable that the Bolsheviks have left it.

Resist Holiday Proposal

Paris.—There is much discussion of a possible vacation for the peace conference, but this is bitterly opposed by many members, who insist that it is impossible for the conference to take a recess until the Austrian treaty is disposed of at least. This probably cannot be before September 1.

No Waste Space



This attractive six-room house has no waste space and is at the same time an economical house to build for one who does not care to spend very much money in a house and at the same time have considerable room. It is intended to be vestibule for the front door extending out on to the veranda; this is not shown on this plan. The two front rooms can be made into one large room, which would extend across the

whole front of the house, making the living room do for a dining room on occasion. Many families eat in the kitchen, ordinarily, so that this front room gives a chance to carry out many forms of decoration and arrangement which cannot be done in the usual living room. The upstairs has three bedrooms and bath, with ample closet room. The house has side entrance which can be changed to rear entrance if desired.



Canadian Voyageur under Direction of Canadian National Railways clearing for the West Indies from Montreal, July 10th, with a cargo of general merchandise. Six is scheduled to return with aug.

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Ennis, Arthur Ennis and George
Patterson motored to Calgary for the
Stampede on Monday afternoon.

A good time dance was held in
the warehouse of the Lundbreck
Trading Co. on Friday evening.
last.

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Of Local and General Interest

Pineher Creek G. W. V. A. has
organized a club.

Several local parties motored to
Waterton Lakes on Sunday last.

The new Christie mine near Pine-
her Creek is now being opened.

W. M. Campbell, crown pro-
secutor, was up from Macleod on
Monday.

E. J. Pozzi paid a business visit
to Medicine Hat the early part of
the week.

The surest way for some ladies
to get a real husband is to marry a
man of that name.

The Wyollife baseball team will
play at Pineher Creek fair grounds
tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Father McAdam, of "Spud"
Island, visited with Fathers Mc-
Cormick and Cusman on Monday.

CAR WANTED—Must be in first-
class shape and big bargain. Will
pay cash. Apply to box "M"
Blairmore.

P. F. Lawson, editor and man-
ager of the District Ledger, was in
town on Saturday last to attend
the mass meeting of the miners.

TWO YOUNG LADIES WANTED to
call in every home in your district.
Pleasant work and large returns to
real workers.—J. D. H. ROUSSEAU &
ASSOCIATES, Edmonton, Alta.

The Oddfellows and Rebekahs of
Pineher Creek held their annual
picnic near Brocket on Wednesday
of this week. Several car-
loads of Cowleys were in atten-
dance.

A mass meeting of miners was
held at the Blairmore opera house
on Saturday afternoon last, at
which the men were to decide
whether they should continue to be
miners or become workers.

Two hundred and twenty-five
members of the National Editorial
Association spent several hours in
Bank last week and returned to
the United States in a perfectly
sober condition—thanks to the
good water of that town.

The following item is clipped
from Saturday's Lethbridge Herald:

Rumor has it that the beautiful
T. Lebel residence at Pineher
Creek will be taken over as a
Roman Catholic hospital. The
property is said to be worth
\$50,000, but that the owner is will-
ing to part with it for about half
that amount.

Dr. S. D. Stanley, M. L. A., has
been forced by the condition of his
health to abandon his large medi-
cal practice at High River, and
has moved to Calgary where he
will continue practice. During the
influenza epidemic last fall, Dr.
Stanley worked to the point of ex-
haustion, and he himself became a
victim of the plague, which very
recently proved fatal.

The death occurred at Passburg
on Sunday evening of John Cam-
eron, one of the old timers of that
district. "Jock" was a Scotchman
and came to this country a good
many years ago, declining to settle
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Agent Passmore is arranging for
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the depot, on which all such sports
will be granted a position on pay-
ment of a nominal fee.

Dr. R. K. Lillis and D. Lewis
are spending a few days in Calgary
and Banff.

WANTED TO RENT—Piano, in
good condition. Apply to J. S.
Pizer, care of W. L. Guimette,
Coleman.

Negotiations are in progress for
the purchase of Anthony Ward
man's ranch and stock in the
Turbin district.

Rev. Harry Peters, of Bellevue,
and Rev. Halgob, of Blairmore,
attended the Methodist church dis-
trict meeting at Macleod today.

Major C. W. McInnes, secretary
of the provincial command of the
Great War Veterans' association,
has resigned his position, following
a partial physical collapse.

The residence of Michel Kossin is
suffering from the application of a
paint brush and paint, which gives
the property a very bright and at-
tractive appearance.

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G. H. Snood and family are
moving to Coleman, where they
will reside in future. Mr. Snood
occupying the position of resident
manager of the Coleman Hardware
Co.

Hons. Arthur Meighen and J.
A. Calder are this week studying
irrigation needs of Southern Alber-
ta. They won't come any further
west than Macleod, probably know-
ing that "irrigation" up here needs
no further attention.

The preliminary hearing of
Messrs. Whites, Price and Foster,
who are charged with beating up
Pete McEwan on the morning of
Saturday, August the 9th, takes
place at Bellevue before Judge
Robertson on Saturday.

Mar. Poy, who owns considerable
real estate in Blairmore, and has
been absent for some time visiting
China, returned to Blairmore this
morning, coming direct from Hong
Kong. He leaves for Etzikom on
Friday 29th and will return in a
few days. While here he confirm-
ed the sale of the property situated
on the corner of 7th Ave. and Vic-
toria Street, to F. M. Thompson
Co.

The penalties meted out to one
Fred Sowik on Monday of this
week should serve as a lesson and
a warning to young men who have
been in the habit of using indecent
language or acting ungentlemanly
in public. Too often has it been
necessary to ask such parties to
leave the arena, and too often has it
happened that parties have had to
disband or members leave the com-
pany because of the filthy tongue
of an overbearing tough. The police
are determined to put a stop to
such practices in the future, and
we feel that the support of respect-
able citizens will be behind them.

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Coleman's public school opened
last week for the fall term with a
full staff of teachers.

The Blairmore public school will
re-open on Tuesday morning next
with Principal Conway and a full
staff of assistants in charge.

William Dabrymple, interna-
tional representative of the U. M.
of A., was in Blairmore this
week, visiting his cousin, Robert
Horne.

General Louis Botha, premier
and minister of agriculture of the
Union of South Africa, died at
Pretoria on August the 28th, fol-
lowing an attack of influenza.

Details of the gold discovery
made at Copper Lake, Manitoba,
show that a vein six feet wide with
a four-inch streak of quartz and
gold with a determined volume of
50 per cent.

A correspondent on one of our
exchanges reports that "Mar. Poy"
has arrived in Blairmore from a
visit to Shanghai, China. "We
didn't know there was a place of
that name in China," but Poy looks
as though he had suffered a severe
drubbing from someone—probably
the inquisitor.

On the day following the night
in which Pete McEwan was sub-
jected to inhuman treatment at the
hands of Foster, Price and the three
Whites, of Hillcrest, Wm. McEwan's
restaurant sold ten dollars worth
of "life savers" and the local medi-
cine was besieged with requests for
prescriptions.

Lieut. Tom Williams, second
son of W. P. and Mrs. Williams,
who enlisted in the early stages of
the war, came home to Bellevue on
Saturday morning quite unexpect-
edly. Lieut. Williams saw service
in France and Flanders. He en-
listed as a private in Toronto,
where he was attending college and
earned a promotion to lieutenant
on the field for gallantry.

Letters From Limbo

DEAR COLONEL:
After the revels described in my last
letter, an address was delivered by
that famous old-timer, Ulysses, who had
recently been prospecting in the NEW
WORLD.

Apollo took the chair; while Dionysus
(better known as Bacchus) was still
the centre of reverent attention by the young-
sters. When order had been re-
stored, Ulysses proceeded as follows:
"This great continent is not entirely
given, as so many suppose, to the
worship of Mammon, whose votaries are to
be found among certain circles in the
British Isles, and among the peasantry of
France. Those are the people who really
love money, and cling to it. The
average Yankee throws his dollars away as
fast as he makes them."

"This nation worships at the shrine of
a far greater god than Mammon. It is
at the altar of Apollo that his greatest
sacrifices are offered—Apollo, the god of
Reason, Light and Liberty. "Liberty
above all things," has been its watch-
word, written in blood by its Puritan
apostles; burnished in golden epigram by
Emerson; voiced in the rugged poetry of
Walt Whitman. But by liberty they
mean, political liberty."

"Bah!" growled Antichristus. "Liberty
is a mere word, a mere sound, a mere
echo of the past. It is a mere word,
written in blood by its Puritan
apostles; burnished in golden epigram by
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with a "political" liberty, they are
meaning "not do as I like." Equality
is before the law. Fraternity
"What is mine is mine. If I want it!"
When Liberty and democracy are united
the millennium will have arrived."

"Ignoring the inerration, Ulysses pro-
ceeds: "It will be evident to all that
the worship of Apollo has been rudi-
mentary. Unless in any given Republic the
Senate provides for the cult of both gods
in an orderly and public fashion, the
apostles will take fearful revenge."
Political liberty was the Puritan ideal
but it was purchased at a great price—the
price of personal liberty. Hence
every nation that seeks, like the old
Spartans and modern Puritans, to en-
roll public, coercive powers of Police and
Priests and Princes, is bound of necessity
to create great private coercive powers,
so that the individual becomes his own
police, priest, and infallible author-
ity. He does this by becoming a secret
Sabbatarian, Vegetarian, (Sabbatarian, Te-
sotaller, Humanitarian, and Universal
Jew-killer."

"Have you read the Blue Laws of
Connecticut?" asked Ulysses, and by
request had some extracts from this
famous Puritan document.

"The judges shall determine con-
troversies without a jury. No man shall be
a freeman or give a vote, unless he be
converted. No lord or lordling shall be
afforded to a Quaker, Admonite, or other
heretic. No one shall run, travel, cook
viands, make beds, cut hair, or shave
on the Sabbath Day. No one shall read
the Book of Common Prayer, keep Chris-
tianity, or salute a Virginian, (Sabbatarian,
Tosotaller, Humanitarian, and Universal
Jew-killer."

"It is quite evident," said Ulysses
"that the Blue Laws have a strange
family resemblance to the grand moral
legislation that is born of sorrow. For
Dionysus and the common people—the
scorn that frowns on song and dance,
that censures the tragedies and comedies
of Greece and the art of Shakespeare;
that has banished the song of the troub-
adour and the wit of the jester; the
Morse dance and the Mystery-play.
And Bacchus is taking a fearful revenge."

"How is that?" asked Ulysses. "By
defeating the nation's hope to the repen-
tation of Granks and Pagans. By
deprive them of liberty in personal
matters, such as food and drink and
dress. After July last the nation will be
reduced to cold water and self drinks.
By 1920 there will be no more for smok-
ing cigars. This Law up-to-date."

"And will the people submit?" asked
Plato. "That depends on their leaders,"
was the reply. "At present the hon-
oured apostles of Reason, Dionysus of
Shaw and Tolstoy and Iugeneroff are in
the ascendancy. There was one man
that could have saved them, but he has
crossed the Divide."

"You mean Mark Twain?" asked
Plato. "I mean a greater man than he.
He was a prince among men. He was a
prophet—not like a modern prophet who
goes with the age but like an ancient
prophet who lashed the age. The last
of Dionysus was in his veins. He loved
his country and was not, too proud to
fight. He warned the women of the
dangers that threatened the home. Like
myself, he was a man of travel and ad-
venture. He was the zoomer of Apollo,
but he hated the high-brow and the
priest."

"Theodore Roosevelt!" shouted the
company. Ulysses bowed. Bacchus
was aroused from his slumbers and the
revolt began again. But with the ap-
proach of dawn the dancing girls and
singers disappeared, and the gods swopt
silently through the air, back to Ely-
sium.—Greenwood Lodge.

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